

The N. Y. World says, "The Mortar Fleets on the upper and lower Mississippi, it is now ascertained, are costly failures. Nine thousand bombs were hurled at Forts Jackson and St. Phillip, with scarcely any appreciable effect, as was proved by a subsequent examination of the forts by Gen. Butler. Commodore Farragut could have passed the defences, with his sloop of war and gunboats, as well on the first as on the sixth day of the bombardment; indeed, the only real damage the forts sustained was from his Parrott and Dahlgreen guns. On the upper Mississippi they have been equally ineffective, as witness Island No. 10 and Fort Wright. The official testimony of the engineers who planned the attack on Fort Pulaski was to the same effect; the rifled cannon alone were effective."

The Pittsburg Lanling correspondent of the Cincinnati Times writes: "I am sorry to inform you that there is at present some apprehension of a domestic difficulty, originating out of the late commission of a female to the rank of major in the United States army. What is most unhappy in the case of this lady-major is, that her once adoring and loving husband, who now holds the rank of lieutenant, insists on being made a colonel, and gives as a reason that his wife now commands him, from the virtue of her rank—being a major—and that this is directly contrary to the original understanding existing between them at the day of their nuptials."

Secretaries Seward and Welles, Attorney General Bates and Assistant Secretary Frederick Seward returned to Washington, on Monday, from their recent trip to Fortress Monroe, Norfolk and the Peninsula. While in that quarter, they visited Norfolk, and, on Wednesday week, General McClellan's headquarters, then at Cumberland, near where the Richmond and York River Railroad crosses the Pamunkey river. On Friday last, they accompanied Commodore Goldsborough as far up James river as Jamestown, about half-way up to Richmond. They are reported to be well satisfied with the progress and state of Gen. McClellan's campaign.

All the newspapers in New Orleans, without distinction of politics, are now allowed to be published.

It is reported that the Medical College at Winchester, Va., has been burnt to the ground, by some Federal soldiers.

WILLING TO DYE FOR THE CITIZENS OF ALEXANDRIA.—Come to No 27 S. Fairfax street, if you wish to economize, by having old goods made new.—We would very respectfully beg leave to inform the citizens of Alexandria and the surrounding country, that we are now prepared to execute all orders left with us, such as cleansing and coloring. Shawls, Silks and Woolens, of all descriptions, cleansed and dyed to look like new. Every description of Straw Hats and Bonnets dyed and pressed in the most fashionable style. We are prepared to color Crape Shawls a beautiful scarlet, crimson or cherry, and all descriptions of wearing apparel cleansed and dyed. We would invite particular attention to our cleansing and dyeing of the same, as it is only practised by us. By this process, goods that are cleansed retain their original lustre and shape, and look nearly as well as when first from the tailor's hands.

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No. 27 South Fairfax street.
my 19—tf

C. C. BRADLEY,
Cabinet, Chair and Sofa Manufactory,
CORNER KING AND ALFRED STREETS,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

HAS constantly on hand, and offers to the public, an excellent assortment of CABINET WARE, SOFAS and CHAIRS of every variety, and on the lowest cash terms, which, for durability and finish, cannot be surpassed.
my 16—tf

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ALEXANDRIA AND WASHINGTON.—The steamer THOMAS COLLYER, Captain Samuel Gedney, will leave the wharf at the foot of King street, Alexandria, at the following hours:

Leave Alexandria at 8 and 10 A. M., 12 M., and 2, and 4 P. M.

Leave Washington at 9 and 11 A. M., and 1, 3 and 5 P. M.
my 13—tf SAM'L GEDNEY, Captain.

ALEXANDRIA AND WASHINGTON.—The steamer JAMES GUY will run regularly between Alexandria and Washington at the following hours:

Leave Alexandria at 9 and 11 A. M., and 1, 3 and 5 o'clock, P. M.

Leave the wharf, foot of Seventh street, Washington, at 8 and 10 A. M., 12 M., and 2 and 4 P. M.
my 13—tf THOS. STACKPOLE, Captain.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.—By virtue of a deed of trust, bearing date on the 20th day of October, 1859, and by consent of parties, the undersigned, substituted trustee, will, on SATURDAY, the 14th day of June, 1862, at 12 o'clock, M., in front of the Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, sell at public auction, the three-story BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, No. 46 North Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, and the lot on which it stands, fronting on Royal street 34 feet 1 inch, and 123 feet 5 inches deep, lately occupied by James S. French. This is one of the most complete and comfortable dwellings in the city of Alexandria, situated in a central location, near to the market, and in a pleasant neighborhood.

TERMS:—Five per cent. of the purchase money, and the sum of \$310, in cash, and the residue in three equal payments at three, six, and twelve months from the day of sale, the deferred payments to bear interest and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser and a deed of trust on the premises.
ALEXANDER HAY,
my 13—ts substituted trustee.

TO THE CITIZENS OF ALEXANDRIA.—We beg leave to call the attention of the citizens of Alexandria to our large and well selected stock of GROCERIES, comprising every article usually kept in a well regulated grocery house. All goods delivered on board the boat free of charge.
GEO. & THOS. PARKER & CO.
Washington, my 21—1m

E. S. FLEMING,
WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER,
NO. 86 KING STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

WATCHES, CLOCKS and JEWELRY carefully repaired. All repairing warranted.—Jewelry made to order.
my 20—1m

THE CITY HOTEL,
CORNER OF KING AND CAMERON STS.,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

SAMUEL HEFLEBOWER, PROPRIETOR.

THIS old and well-known house continues to offer to the resident sojourning and traveling public every comfort and convenience.

Obliging and attentive assistants, a well-spread table and pleasant sleeping rooms, have long been among the essentials of this establishment.
my 15—tf

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JOB PRINTING OFFICE.

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my 13—tf

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my 20 Old Post Office corner.

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CORNER OF KING AND HENRY STS.,
[SECOND FLOOR.]

THIS PLACE OF AMUSEMENT has proved from its opening, by good conduct, the best in this city. It is open all day and evenings, where the proprietors make it their whole duty to see that strict order is kept, and customers waited upon promptly.

The Bar is supplied at all times with the choicest ALES, LAGER BEER, WINES and CIGARS.

Entertainment by the Pianist, Louis Lockstaedt.

Just—Come one! Come all!

Admittance—FREE.

Just—Lady Waiters in attendance.

C. PRICE.

HENRY BREMEN,

Proprietors.

my 13—1m

INSURANCE AGENCY.

HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
Capital, \$500,000. *Nett Surplus*, \$101,341.

HOME INSURANCE CO., NEW YORK,
Capital, \$1,000,000. *Nett Surplus*, \$160,144.

POLICIES in either of the above-named companies issued, and losses adjusted by the undersigned, agent at Alexandria, Va. For insurance, apply at No. 76 King street, up-stairs, or to
ANDREW JAMIESON,
my 13—1m Agent.

KEEP COOL!

ICE! ICE!! ICE!!!

THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES PLEASURE in informing his friends and the public generally, that he has made arrangements to keep constantly on hand a supply of ICE during the season. Persons desiring the above article can obtain it by calling at his depots, No. 149, King street, between Washington and St. Asaph, or at the old depot, on Fairfax street, under the old Watch House, opposite the Adams' Express Office.
my 13—4m P. G. HENDERSON.

NOTICE.

HENRY COOK would respectfully inform his friends and the public generally, that he has removed to the Drug Warehouse, No. 39 King street, formerly occupied by Peel & Stevens, where he would be glad to see the customers of the former occupants, as well as his own. He is now receiving a fresh stock of goods, which he is determined to sell at very moderate prices.
my 13—2w

JOHN T. COOKE,

CHEAP FAMILY GROCER,

HAS CONSTANTLY on hand a large assortment of FAMILY GROCERIES, consisting of BACON, of all kinds; FLOUR by the barrel or smaller packages; BUCKWHEAT CURRANTS, RAISINS, PRUNES, FIGS, SARDINES, &c., &c., to which he invites the attention of customers.
my 13—

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LEADBEATER & CO., dealers in fine Drugs and Chemicals, genuine Patent Medicines, Paints, Oils, Acids, Dye Stuffs, Kerosene Oil, Lamps, Perfumery, Soaps, Sponges, Medicines, Chests, &c., &c.

Physicians Prescriptions receive special attention.
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HAIR DRESSING and Dying in the latest style, and Shaving and Shampooing in the most approved manner.

my 13— THOS. COLLINGSWORTH.

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TERMS—EASY.
my 13—d2w I. LOUIS KINZER.

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HENRY COOK,
No. 39 King street.
my 13—2w